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LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending October 16, 1886:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

Oscar F. G. Megie vs. The Mayor, etc.—To cancel and set aside taxes of years 1879 (\$82.56) and 1880 (\$80.96), on lots 21, 22 and 23, Block 303, tax map Twelfth Ward.

Adolph Goslin vs. The Mayor, etc.—Damages for alleged personal injuries resulting from falling on defective sidewalk in front of No. 1034 Second avenue, September 21, 1885, \$15,000.

Abraham Levy vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Eighty-second street regulating, etc., from Eighth avenue to Boulevard, on Ward No. 1, Block 125, Twenty-second Ward, \$1,098.55.

People ex rel. Josiah T. Kendall vs. John Newton, as Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York; Edward Gilon, Patrick M. Haverty, Charles E. Wendt, and Van Brugh Livingston, constituting the Board of Assessors of said City; Edward V. Loew, Comptroller of the City of New York; E. Henry Lacombe, Counsel to the Corporation, and Frederick Smyth, Recorder of said City, constituting the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessment Lists of said City—Mandamus to compel respondents to confirm the assessment, etc., for expense of flagging Thirtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, done under contract of Michael Galvin, dated December 5, 1867, \$2,188.61.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. Thomas E. Gould, Thomas F. Parker, William Rice, John Doe, and Richard Roe, unknown persons, proprietors or managers of, or aiding in or abetting the exhibitions and performances mentioned in the complaint in this action—To restrain the giving of public exhibitions of minstrelsy, etc., at Nos. 50, 52 and 54 West Thirty-first street, without license.

Ferdinand Zimmerman vs. The Mayor, etc.—Damages for personal injuries resulting from falling on ice on sidewalk at No. 476 Third avenue, January 28, 1885, \$10,000.

Solomon Weiner vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, on Ward No. 18, Block 111, \$8,187.

Levi Goldenberg vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, on Ward Nos. 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37, in Block 203, \$1,090.57.

James Lynch vs. The Mayor, etc.—Damages for personal injuries resulting from falling over embankment of Western Boulevard, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets, on March 9, 1886, \$10,000.

In the matter of the application of the New York District Railway Company for the appointment of Commissioners.

In re petition of The Washington Heights Atheneum Society—To vacate an assessment for sewers in the Boulevard, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred Fifty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

In re petition of Mary F. C. Smith—To vacate an assessment for sewers in Eleventh avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-seventh and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street.

In re petition of The Washington Heights Atheneum Society—To vacate an assessment for Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, etc.

In re Mary E. Cook—To vacate an assessment for sewers in Boulevard, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

SUPERIOR COURT.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes, in City of New York, vs. James A. Roosevelt, Alfred Roosevelt and W. Emlen Roosevelt, composing the firm of Roosevelt & Low—To recover amount of personal tax assessed for year 1880, on shares of Chatham National Bank, \$126.50.

People ex rel. John Townsend vs. Artemus S. Cady, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears in the City of New York—Mandamus to compel Clerk of Arrears to cancel record of sales and leases for non-payment of taxes upon lots 25, 26, 47 and 48, Block No. 493, Twelfth Ward.

People ex rel. John Townsend vs. Artemus S. Cady, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears in the City of New York—Mandamus to compel Clerk of Arrears to cancel record of sales and leases for non-payment of taxes upon lots 24, 26, 47 and 48, in Block No. 493, Twelfth Ward.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Augustus T. Post—Tax on Produce Bank shares for year 1880, \$37.95.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Isaac Rosenwald—Tax on Produce Bank shares for year 1880, \$46.17.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Joseph J. O'Donohue—Tax on Murray Hill Bank shares for year 1880, \$44.27.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Sarah M. Abernethy, John J. Abernethy and Julius Catlin, Jr., as executors of the last will and testament of Charles Abernethy, deceased—Tax on Island City Bank shares for year 1880, \$126.50.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Richard W. Bogart—Tax on Island City Bank shares for year 1880, \$37.95.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Henry Kloppenberg—Tax on Island City Bank shares for year 1880, \$63.35.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Charles A. Schumacher—Tax on Island City Bank shares for year 1880, \$46.55.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Ernest G. W. Woers—Tax on Island City Bank shares for year 1880, \$49.33.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Thomas P. Wallace—Tax on Produce Bank shares for year 1880, \$44.72.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Joseph P. Durfey—Tax on Chatham National Bank shares for year 1880, \$82.22.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. John Hyde, James Hyde and Jonathan Little Hyde, composing the firm of John E. Hyde's Sons—Tax on Chatham National Bank shares for year 1880, \$63.25.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Elizabeth O. Coffin—Tax on Chatham National Bank shares for year 1880, \$75.90.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Peter C. Baker—Tax on Chatham National Bank shares for year 1880, \$56.29.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Albert F. Cross and Henry E. Beguelin, composing the firm of Cross & Beguelin—Tax on Chatham National Bank shares for the year 1880, \$47.43.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. The Home Insurance Company—Tax on Chatham National Bank for the year 1880, \$101.20.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Henry E. Merriam, Adeliza F. Sahler and William N. Cram as executors of the last will and testament of Benjamin W. Merriam, deceased—Tax on Chatham National Bank shares for year 1880, \$79.06.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. George L. Whitman—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares for year 1880, \$43.51.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Stephen W. Jones—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for years 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883 and 1884, \$107.35.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Levi M. Bates—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$43.51.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. William E. Clark—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$50.83.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Ann E. Everitt—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for years 1880, 1883 and 1884, \$247.86.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Mary E. Squires—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$63.25.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. William C. Sturges—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$43.51.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Daniel H. Arnold—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$126.50.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Emeline Everitt—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for years 1880, 1883 and 1884, \$247.86.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Henry L. Hoguet—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$43.51.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. George W. Hopkinson—Tax on National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$88.55.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. James H. Ransom—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for years 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883 and 1884, \$214.72.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Margaret L. Salsbury—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$41.34.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, vs. Rufus Story—Tax on Broadway National Bank shares, for year 1880, \$43.51.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

In the matter of Hugh Reilly, for the payment to him of the moneys on deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of the estate of Julia Reilly—To be paid \$162.28 deposited by Public Administrator into City Treasury, proceeds of the estate of Julia Reilly, deceased.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes, in the City of New York, vs. James W. Todd—Order entered discontinuing action by consent.

Maltby G. Lane—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

In re William A. Cauldwell, One Hundred and Fifth street paving, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re William A. Cauldwell, Seventy-ninth street paving—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re August Schmid, One Hundred and Fifth street paving—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Alfred Wagstaff, executor, Seventy-sixth street paving—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re William A. Cauldwell, Eighth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re I. and S. Bernheimer, Eleventh avenue sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Universal Life Insurance Company, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Universal Life Insurance Company, Eightieth street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re S. J. Seligman, One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Charles H. Ford, Ninety-second street paving—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re William A. Cauldwell, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street regulating, etc., Fourth to Eighth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Orsmer Hollister, Avenue A sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Juliet Douglass, One Hundred and Twentieth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Russell Sage, Eighth avenue sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Wm. A. Darling, Eighth avenue sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Juliet Douglas, Manhattan street sewers—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Universal Life Insurance Company, Sixty-second and Sixty-ninth streets underground drains—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Universal Life Insurance Company, Seventy-fourth and Ninety-second streets underground drains—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re S. J. Seligman, Eighty-sixth street paving, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Charles E. Appleby, Seventh avenue sewers—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Jacob Webber, Eighth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Charles F. Hunter, executor, etc., Ninth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Ann Marshall, Boulevard sewers and Ninety-eighth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re H. A. Houghton, No. 2, Third avenue sewer, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re Frank R. Houghton, No. 2, Third avenue sewer, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re S. J. Seligman, Sixth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

In re S. J. Seligman, Sixth avenue macadamizing—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, by consent.

George W. McLean, Receiver, etc., vs. William E. Troup, tax of 1880—Order entered discontinuing action without costs, by consent.

In re Edward Kearney, sewer in Seventy-first street, Eighth and Tenth avenues—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re Darrian, 84 N. Y., 596.

In re Elizabeth Stevens, sewer in Seventy-first street, Eighth and Tenth avenues—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re Darrian, 84 N. Y., 596.

In re Emma Ida Toplitz, sewer in Seventy-first street, Eighth and Tenth avenues—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re Darrian, 84 N. Y., 596.

In re Samuel Lavenburg and another, Seventy-first street, Eighth and Tenth avenues—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re Darrian, 84 N. Y., 586.

In re Johnston Livingston, Eighth avenue sewer, Ninety-second to One Hundred and Fifth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion before Donohue, J.

In re Johnston Livingston, Eighth avenue regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion before Donohue, J.

In re Johnston Livingston, Boulevard sewers, Ninety-eighth street, Ninth avenue and One Hundredth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs, upon motion before Donohue, J.

Chapter 297 of the Laws of 1884 apparently contemplates a fixation each year by the Board of the fees to be paid to the Sheriff for the ensuing year. An attempt was made in December, 1884, to avail of the phraseology of this act to effect a reduction of the rates of compensation of the then Sheriff, whose term of office had not expired. An opinion was given to your Board by the Law Department on December 29, 1884 (Minutes of Board of Estimate, 1884, p. 906), which indicated that it was extremely doubtful whether the constitutionality of the act could be sustained if it were so interpreted as to provide for a reduction of the Sheriff's fees during his term. Notwithstanding this opinion the Board of Estimate undertook to reduce the rates for the unexpired term of Mr. Sheriff Davidson. That officer applied to the Courts, and in the case of Davidson vs. The Mayor, 2d How., N. S., 182, the Court of Common Pleas held that the prohibition of the constitution against the passage of a local bill increasing or decreasing official fees during the term for which an officer was elected extends to enactments which confer upon others the power to do so at their pleasure. It is true that the case now submitted is not precisely on all fours with the one then before the Court, but I am strongly of the opinion that a resolution increasing or reducing the rate of fees during the term of the present Sheriff will be, by the Courts, held obnoxious to the same objection.

I am, gentlemen, yours respectfully,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

Which was received and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

The estimates for various items under the head Miscellaneous were taken up and considered.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 26, 1886.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 5 of chapter 173 of the Laws of 1885, the Counsel to the Corporation has furnished a statement of the reports of proceedings for the acquiring of title to lands required for various public purposes in the City of New York, confirmed since the first day of January, 1886, with a statement of the amount of awards and taxed costs in such proceedings, which statement is herewith presented, together with my own statements as Comptroller, required by the same statute, of the amount of such awards and costs already paid and of the amounts due for all awards and costs payable from the fund created by said act, entitled "Fund for Street and Park Openings," and still unpaid, and of the balance in the Treasury to the credit of said fund.

Section 5 also provides that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, upon the receipt of such statements, "shall include in the Provisional and Final Estimates for the ensuing year a sum sufficient with such balance to pay all claims for the awards and costs in all proceedings in which reports shall have been prior to that time confirmed."

The amount of awards and costs remaining unpaid up to date of statements, October 26, 1886, is \$295,709.54, and the balance in the Treasury to the credit of the Fund is \$131,204.34, leaving the sum of \$164,505.20 to be provided for by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Respectfully,

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, October 23, 1886.

Hon. EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller:

SIR—In pursuance of the provisions of section 5 of chapter 173 of the Laws of 1885, I have respectfully to inform you that the report of the Commissioners in the proceeding for the widening of Gansevoort street, from Washington street to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirteenth streets, and West Thirteenth street, from Eighth avenue to intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirteenth streets, was the only one confirmed subsequent to January, 1886.

Amount of awards for land and buildings.....	\$151,320 00
Amount of costs.....	405 00
Total assessment.....	\$151,725 00
Assessment on adjacent property.....	\$111,679 00
Assessment on City.....	40,046 00
	<hr/> 151,725 00

Yours, very respectfully,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

Statement of Street and Park Opening Proceedings confirmed since January 1, 1886, showing Taxed Costs, Awards, Assessments and Payments made on account thereof.

TITLE AND DATE OF CONFIRMATION.	AWARDS.	TAXED COSTS.	TOTAL.	PAYMENTS MADE.	ASSESSMENT ON PROPERTY BENEFITED.	ASSESSMENT ON THE CITY.
Widening Gansevoort street, between Washington and West Thirteenth streets, and West Thirteenth street, between Gansevoort street and Eighth avenue. March 9, 1886.....	\$151,320 00	\$405 00	\$151,725 00	\$405 00	\$111,679 00	\$40,046 00

NEW YORK, October 26, 1886.

Statement of Liabilities of the Account, Fund for Street and Park Openings, consisting of Taxed Costs and Awards in Street and Park Opening Proceedings remaining Unpaid, and of Balance in the Treasury to the Credit of said Fund.

Awards and taxed costs unpaid, December 31, 1885.....	\$354,888 84
Payments from January 1, 1886, to October 26, 1886, on account of liability existing December 31, 1885.....	210,499 30
Liability, October 26, 1886, for awards confirmed prior to 1886.....	\$144,389 54
Proceedings confirmed in 1886—	
Taxed costs and awards.....	\$151,725 00
Payments made on account thereof to October 26, 1886.....	405 00
Liability, October 26, 1886, for awards confirmed in 1886.....	151,320 00
Total liability of the account, October 26, 1886.....	\$295,709 54
Cash balance to credit of the account, October 26, 1886.....	131,204 34
Excess of liability over cash balance.....	\$164,505 20

NEW YORK, October 26, 1886.

Which were received and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 29, 1886.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor and Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—During the present year extra and unusual expenditure had to be incurred under the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.," for 1886, in lowering large water-mains in streets where the grade had been changed, so as to put the pipes at a sufficient depth under the street surface to protect them from frost, and further work of this character is necessary for the ensuing winter season. To cover this extra expense a transfer of \$8,000 to the appropriation is necessary, and I request that such transfer be made as early as possible from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading," for 1886, from which the said amount can be spared.

Very respectfully,

JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 27, 1886.

Hon. EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller:

The Board of Police have directed me to inclose herewith a copy of resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to transfer the sum of \$500 to the Law Department, for the payment of special counsel fees in the case of Lauretta A. Hartt against Commissioner John McClave, Treasurer, etc.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 27, 1886.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held on the 26th instant, it was Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of \$500 from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1885, entitled "Expenses of Detectives, Execution of Criminal Process and Contingent Expenses," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to a proper appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1886, to enable said Law Department to pay counsel fees in case of Lauretta A. Hartt against John McClave.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, October 25, 1886.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

DEAR SIR—As the end of the year approaches, I find that the appropriation for "General Contingencies" of this Department will not be sufficient to enable it to continue working at its present rate of progression, without assistance from some quarter. The original appropriation has proved insufficient, solely because of the greatly increased amount of work done during the current year, and especially by reason of the increased activity in prosecuting actions in which the City is plaintiff. The Department has already made cash collections under claims transmitted from the different departments aggregating over \$375,000, and, if it does not have to suspend this good work by reason of lack of funds, there is every prospect of collecting \$200,000 more before the 31st of December.

I understand that the Harlem Hospital will not be completed sufficiently early this year to admit of the expenditure for services therein of the entire amount, \$4,514, originally appropriated therefor. Of course this sum, ordinarily, would be covered into the treasury with other unexpended balances, thus passing to the credit of your department. I would, however, most earnestly request that your Honorable Board express its willingness to assent to a transfer of \$800 from this balance to the general contingencies of the Law Department. I feel that the money thus transferred would be expended greatly to the benefit of the City; I know not where else to apply for such balance, and unless the particular appropriation is in some way replenished, the operations of the Law Department for the last two months of the current year will be greatly hampered.

I may add that I stated to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at the hearing upon my Departmental Estimate for the coming year, that I should need a transfer of \$1,000 to this particular account, and they practically expressed their willingness to assent thereto by passing for the appropriation for the ensuing year a sum equal to the original appropriation increased by such transfer.

I remain, very respectfully yours, etc.,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 26, 1886.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, President Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I am directed to transmit for your action a resolution consenting to the transfer of \$800 from the appropriation for salaries for the Harlem Reception Hospital for 1886, to the "General Contingencies of Law Department," with a letter from Hon. E. H. Lacombe, and state further that the reason for the existence of this unexpended balance is that the Board had great difficulty in making the required alterations for the sum allowed for that purpose, and were obliged to advertise several times for proposals before securing a bid within the appropriation, so that the Hospital will not be ready to receive patients before the end of the coming month.

Very respectfully,

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 26, 1886.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, President Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I transmit the following proceedings of the Board at a meeting held this day: Resolved, That the sum of \$800, part of the appropriation for "Salaries for Harlem Reception Hospital," 1886, is in excess of the requirements of such appropriation, and may, if the Board of Estimate and Apportionment so direct, be transferred to "General Contingencies—Law Department," 1886.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Which were received and referred to the Comptroller.

The Chairman moved that when the Board adjourns it do so to meet to-morrow, October 30, 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS,
ROOMS 114 AND 115, STEWART BUILDING,
NEW YORK, October 23, 1886.

Hon. W. R. GRACE, Mayor:

SIR—We respectfully call your attention to the fact that large amounts of negotiable securities and other personal property held in trust by the Public Administrator, pending the judicial settlement of his accounts by the Surrogate, are in the sole custody of the Public Administrator. If he be an honest man, as the present incumbent is reported to be, such custody may, for the time being, be deemed safe, but if the office should fall into the possession of an unscrupulous man, or one of a speculative turn of mind, the danger arising from the misapplication of such property would be very great.

We are not able to say whether under existing law any safeguard, such, for instance, as the requirement by regulation that the property be held under the joint lock of the Public Administrator and the Corporation Counsel, can be applied. We should imagine, however, that it might be done by consent of the Public Administrator, who probably would not object to such an arrangement.

We suggest that the matter be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, of whose Department the office of the Public Administrator is a Bureau.

Very respectfully,

W. P. SHEARMAN, Commissioner of Accounts.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Adjourned Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Monday, October 25, 1886, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioner Spencer, the Commissioner of Public Works, and Commissioners Baldwin and Barnes.

Also Chief Engineer Church; and Chief Engineer Birdsall of the Department of Public Works. The minutes of the stated meeting of the 20th instant were read and approved.

The Committee on Construction reported in favor of the appointment of the following persons as Inspectors on the Aqueduct work:

Gaylord Thompson,

H. H. Bowly,

Michael J. Hyland,

William Henry Langler,

Robert Montgomery,

Collins Y. Peters.

And on motion of Commissioner Barnes the report of the Committee was adopted.

The Committee next submitted a report in reference to the immediate construction of the Muscoot Dam and Reservoir, which was read, and on motion of Commissioner Barnes, was referred back to said Committee for further consideration.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending October 16, 1886.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1886.

Hon. WM. R. GRACE, Mayor:

SIR:—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to October 16, 1886, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since October 9, 1886, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on October 16, 1886.

Very respectfully,
WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, during the week ending October 16, 1886.

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	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$15,627 14		By Balance.....				\$6,063,622 29
	Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	531 27		Arrears of Taxes.....	Cady.....	\$39,236 95		
	Croton Water Fund.....	133 52		Interest on Taxes.....	".....	5,353 42		
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	6 00		Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	".....	1,146 78		
	Dog License Fund.....	300 00		Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	".....	25,260 93		
	Dock Fund.....	287 58		Interest on Assessments.....	".....	3,485 15		
	Excise Licenses.....	7,302 47		Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	".....	109 00		
	Fund for Local Improvements.....	11,150 68		Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	".....	40 95		
	Local Improvement Fund.....	2,829 60		Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	".....	303 95		
	Morningside Park—Improvement Fund.....	161 36		Land Drainage Fund.....	McLean.....	4,120,622 15		
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	2,218 25		Taxes.....	".....	131 04		
	Revenue Bonds, 1886.....	2,160,000 00		Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	Byrnes.....	1,803 00		
	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	356 33		Licenses.....	".....	68 00		
	School-house Fund.....	234 00		Dog License Fund.....	Chambers.....	477 50		
	Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	177 93		Tapping Pipes.....	".....	141 42		
			\$2,201,318 13	Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	Department of Public Works	590 00		
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages.....	1886. \$1,260 00		Restoring and Repaving.....	Wood.....	145 00		
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	" 618 43		New York Society for Prevention of	".....	139 00		
	Assessment Commission—Expenses.....	" 1,708 33		Cruelty to Children.....	Timmermann.....	257 34		
	Association for Benefiting Children and Young Girls.....	" 595 43		American Society for the Prevention of	Comptroller.....	179 37		
	Bronx River Bridges—Repairs and Maintenance.....	" 101 22		Cruelty to Animals.....	Britton.....	339 60		
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	" 30,797 41		Public Instruction, 1886.....	Newton.....	858 73		
	College of the City of New York.....	" 1,414 97		General Fund.....	Coleman.....	245 00		
	Contingencies—Law Department.....	" 341 14			Murray.....	91 42		
	Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	" 175 00					4,200,941 70	
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	1885. 194 59						
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	1886. 90 78						
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	" 150 00						
	Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	" 9 80						
	Cleaning Markets.....	" 31 50						
	Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	" 749 00						
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1885. 350 00						
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1886. 10,135 73						
	For Repairs to Seventh Regiment Armory Building.....	" 230 97						
	For Prosecuting Delinquents for Arrears of Personal Taxes.....	" 45 00						
	Hospital for the Care of Contagious Diseases.....	" 432 78						
	Health Fund.....	" 78 34						
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance	" 1,019 17						
	Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1886.....	" 1,012 50						
	Interest on Revenue Bonds.....	" 12,536 99						
	Judgments.....	" 1,745 86						
	Jeannette Park Improvement.....	" 370 21						
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	" 729 66						
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	" 11,905 81						
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 272 35						
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Supplies.....	" 10,486 92						
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police.....	" 6,599 56						
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Museums.....	" 332 53						
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological	" 540 53						
	Department.....	" 2,405 00						
	Music—Central and City Parks.....	" 500 00						
	Night Medical Service Fund.....	" 1,050 14						
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	" 250 00						
	Police Station-houses—Rents.....	" 4,582 85						
	Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	" 10,207 71						
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1885. 359 47						
	Public Instruction.....	1886. 22,904 54						
	Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop cocks, etc.....	" 4,648 29						
	Rents.....	" 2,057 50						
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements, etc.....	" 11,470 65						
	Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	" 6,405 00						
	Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	" 152 95						
	Riverside Park and Avenue.....	" 2,725 86						
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1885. 58 00						
	Sheriff's Fees.....	1886. 137 25						
	Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	" 493 40						
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	" 2,302 23						
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-	" 1,074 60						
	third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 1,317 75						
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	" 538 00						
	Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Number-	" 744 38						
	ing Streets.....	" 2,250 00						
	State Homoeopathic Asylum for Insane.....	" 64 00						
	Salaries—City Courts.....	" 83 33						
	Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	" 192 04						
	Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	" 83 33						
	Salaries—Judiciary.....	" 833 32						
	Salary of the Physician, County Jail.....	" 1,158 98						
	To Defray Expenses of Proceedings in Street Openings.....	" 23,333 34						
	Water Supply—Twenty-fourth Ward.....		201,518 42					
	Children's Aid Society.....		7,861,727 44					
	Balance.....		\$10,264,563 99					\$10,264,563 99

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NEW YORK, October 16, 1886.

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Oct. 16. By Balance..... \$7,861,727 44

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending October 16, 1886.

1886. Oct. 9 " 16				SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
				DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	By Balance, as per last account current.....				\$143,543 44		\$243,808 38
	Assessment Fund.....	Cady.....	261 00				
	Street Improvement Fund.....	".....	5,031 03				
	Licenses.....	Byrnes.....	27 00				
	Market Rent and Fees.....	Kelso.....	4,471 30				
	Dock and Slip Rent.....	Matthews.....	4,786 84				
	Croton Water Rent and Penalties.....	Chambers.....	\$18,065 17		14,577 17		
	Croton Water Arrears and Interest.....	Cady.....	3,146 61				
	Croton Water Arrears.....	McLean.....	2,008 37				
	Fines.....	Britton.....	48 00				
	Court Fees and Fines.....	Wood.....	1,25 50				
	House Rent.....	Kelso.....	350 30				
	Balance.....			\$158,120 61			24,733 95
				\$158,120 61	\$158,120 61	\$268,542 33	\$268,542 33

Oct. 16, 1886. By Balances.....

\$158,120 61..... \$268,542 33

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NEW YORK, October 16, 1886.

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending October 16, 1886, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending October 9, 1886.

SIR—There were 715 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, October 16, 1886, which is an increase of 82, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 184 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1885. The actual mortality for the week ending October 9, 1886, was 681, which is 92.4 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 24.41 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,450,780.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending October 16, 1886, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending October 9, 1886.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Oct. 16.	Week ending Oct. 9.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1886.								Week ending Oct. 9, 1886.		AGE BY YEARS.																	SEX.									
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.		59.0	56.1																																					
" reading of barometer		29.999	30.085																																					
" humidity for the week was.		66	69																																					
Number of miles traveled by the wind was.		1,244	647																																					
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week.		.02	...																																					
CAUSES OF DEATH.				Total Deaths reported during the week ending Oct. 16, 1886.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending Oct. 9, 1886.	DATE.					Total Actual Mortality during the week ending Oct. 9, 1886.	Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1885.	Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 14,450,780).																										
						Oct. 3.	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.	Oct. 6.	Oct. 7.	Oct. 8.	Oct. 9.				Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.	Male.	Female.	COLOR.		
Total Deaths from all Causes.....				715	633	83	87	109	93	100	95	111	681	540	588.6	24.41	189	58	21	22	10	300	29	7	17	30	37	39	37	29	28	21	30	21	20	36	382	299	15	
Total Zymotic Diseases.....				180	170	22	26	23	23	31	27	32	184	148	189.6	6.60	73	27	15	14	5	134	16	4	4	6	2	3	3	29	28	21	30	21	20	36	382	299	15	
Total Constitutional Diseases.....				166	156	20	23	28	28	27	22	22	170	137	150.0	3.99	35	7	1	1	44	4	2	8	16	16	17	21	7	29	28	21	30	21	20	36	382	299	15	
Total Local Diseases.....				306	342	32	31	49	34	25	35	44	253	202	202.2	9.07	57	23	5	7	4	96	8	5	7	16	12	8	11	13	14	20	15	11	17	126	127	6		
Total Developmental Diseases.....				32	37	3	4	5	2	10	0	10	40	36	33.0	1.43	23	1	1	1	23	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	20	20	2		
Deaths by Violence.....				31	28	6	3	4	6	4	8	3	34	17	23.4	1.22	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	4	7	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	28	6	2	
Small-pox.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.2	0.08	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Measles.....				8	6	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	7	5	4.2	.25	3	4	1	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	2	
Scarlatina.....				4	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	5	5	9.4	.18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	2
Diphtheria.....				35	26	2	3	3	3	4	7	5	27	24	23.4	.97	10	4	4	7	15	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	14	13	2	
Membranous Croup.....				21	13	1	1	3	3	4	4	4	18	12	12.4	.65	2	4	3	2	15	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	7	2	
Whooping Cough.....				9	8	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	9	12	8.4	.32	1	2	2	1	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	4	2	
Erysipelas.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhus Fever.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Yellow Fever.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhoid Fever.....				16	13	1	2	1	3	2	4	2	15	11	14.4	.54	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	5	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	4	2	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....				1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	3.2	.07	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive and Simple Continued Fevers.....				11	5	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	7	9	14.2	.25	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	2	
Puerperal Diseases.....				3	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	4.4	.18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....				54	75	10	15	12	8	11	7	10	73	63	75.4	2.62	52	8	2	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	44	29	1	
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.....				6	7	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	8	4	4.8	.20	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Alcoholism.....				8	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	5	2	2.2	.18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Rheumatism and Gout.....				1	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	1	2.8	.11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cancer.....				18	11	4	1	2	1	4	3	15	15	15.8	.54	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	11	2	
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....				102	104	14	16	18	18	19	13	14	112	90	96.8	4.01	3	2	1	1	6	2	2	8	15	15	17	18	7	8	4	3	1	4	2	68	44	5		
Bronchitis.....				46	20	5	1	5	3	1	3	8	26	29	20.4	.93	8	6	2	3	1	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	14	12	1	
Pneumonia.....				51	40	3	4	12	7	3	12	8	49	31	35.4	1.70	10	11	1	1	2	25	1	1	1	3	6	2	1	2	4	2	2	2	2	28	21	1		
Heart Diseases.....				32	18	2	2	4	1	5	2	3	19	28	25.2	.68	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	12	7	2		
Aneurism.....				1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Marasmus—Tabes Mesenterica and Scrofula.....				26	29	2	3	6	8	6	2	3	30	19	21.4	1.07	29	1	1	1	1	29	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	19	11	1		
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....				16	8	1	2	2	2	1	2	9	12	12.0	.32	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	3	1		
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....				32	14	1	4	5	1	2	2	4	18	16	13.2	.65	8	1	1	1	1	10	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	8	1		
Convulsions.....				1	10	1	3	3	1	1	2	1	10	8	6.2	.36	8	1	1	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	2	
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Apoplexy.....				8	12	2	1	6	1	1	1	1	11	12	10.2	.37	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	2	
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....				73	49	4	10	17	4	5	6	10	56	44	42.0	2.01	18	2	2	1	23	3	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	4	4	3	27	29	1		
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....				5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	4.6	.18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	
Enteritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Peritonitis, and Gastritis.....				28	29	4	3	3	3	4	4	7	28	15	7.4	1.00	15	3	1	1	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	15	1		
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....				42	49	10	6	6	12	4	4	3	45	32	32.8	1.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	16	29	2		
Cyanosis and Atelectasis.....				7	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	3	4.4	.14	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Premature and Preternatural Births.....				14	13	2	1	4	1	4	1	4	14	10	12.8	.50	14	1	1	1	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	7	1		
Surgical Operations.....				3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.6	.01	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Deaths by Suicide.....				1	6	1	1	1	2	2	1	5	2	3.4	.18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Deaths by Drowning.....				6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	3.2	.11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Deaths in Children.....				201	180	21	30	28	31	33	16	30	189	146	150.6	6.77	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
{ Under 1 year.....				201	180	21	30	28	31	33	16	30	189	146	150.6	6.77	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
{ " 2 years.....				268	233	29	39	33	36	42	24	44	247	181	199.8	8.85	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
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* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.														Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Wards), Census of 1880.	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	Yellow Fever.	All Diarrheal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Diseases.						Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.
NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																				
Actual Mortality during the Week ending October 9, 1886.																				
First.....	154	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	4	7	7	17,930	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, -; U. S. Marine Hospital (Bedloe's Island), -; First Precinct Station, -	..
Second.....	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,608	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, -; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 2; Newsboys' Lodgings, -	2
Third.....	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,582	Fourth Precinct Station, -; Mission Home, -; St. James Home, -; Sailor Home, -	..
Fourth.....	83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20,990	Fifth Precinct Station, -; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street, -	..
Fifth.....	168	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,845	City Prison, -; Home of Industry, -; Centre Street Dispensary, -; Sixth Precinct Station, -	..
Sixth.....	108	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20,196	Seventh Precinct Station, -; Gouverneur Hospital, 2; Nursery and Child's Protectory, East Broadway, -	2
Seventh.....	193	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50,466	Eighth Precinct Station, -	1
Eighth.....	110	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35,579	St. Vincent's Hospital, 5; Welcome Home, -; Jefferson Market Prison, 1	6
Ninth.....	322	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	54,596	Essex Street Prison, -; Tenth Precinct Station, -; Ludlow Street Jail, -	..
Tenth.....	110	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47,554	St. Francis' Hospital, 4; Eleventh Precinct Station, -	4
Eleventh.....	196	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	68,778	Reception Hospital, 30th street, 1; Infants' Hospital, -; Soldiers' Retreat, -; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 2; Colored Orphan Asylum, -; Ward's Island, 5; Randall's Island, 7; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, 1; St. Joseph's Asylum, -; St. Joseph's Home, -; House of Mercy, -; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, -; Deaf and Dumb Asylum, -; House of Good Shepherd, -; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, -; St. Luke's Home, -; Homeopathic Hospital, 3; Little Sisters of the Poor, -; Manhattan Hospital, -; St. Joseph's Hospital, 3; Magdalene Convent, -; Deborah Nursery, -; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, -	22
Twelfth.....	5,504.13	..	..	..	5	1	2	..	2	3	..	9	1	4	27	85	63	81,800	Thirteenth Precinct Station, -; Fifth District Court, -	..
Thirteenth.....	107	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37,797	R. C. Orphan Asylum, -; Lying-in-Asylum, -; Fourteenth Precinct Station, -; House of Mercy, -	..
Fourteenth.....	96	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30,171	Fifteenth Precinct Station, -; Mission of Immaculate Virgin, -; Protestant Half-Orphan Asylum, -	..
Fifteenth.....	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31,882	St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, 1; French Hospital, -; Babys' Shelter, -; Samaritan Home for the Aged, -	1
Sixteenth.....	348.77	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	52,188	House of the Holy Comforter, -; New York Infirmary, -; N. Y. Lying-in Asylum, -; St. Phillip's Home, -	..
Seventeenth.....	331	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	104,837	New York Hospital, 5; St. Stephen's Home, -; Post Graduate Hospital, 2; N. Y. Ophthalmic Hosp., -	8
Eighteenth.....	449.89	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	66,611	Willard Parker Hospital, 1; N. Y. Infirmary for Women and Children, -	..
Nineteenth.....	1,480.60	..	..	..	3	3	1	..	6	..	..	14	..	2	30	128	64	158,191	Presbyterian Hosp., 3; German Hospital, 2; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 5; Foundling Asylum, 13; Women's Hospital and College, -; City Lunatic Asylum, 7; Almshouse, 3; Penitentiary, 1; Small-pox Hospital, -; Charity Hospital, 10; Colored Home Hospital, 3; Nursery and Child's Hospital, -; St. Luke's Hospital, -; Workhouse, 3; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, -; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, -; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), 2; Chapin Home for the Aged, -; Hahnemann's Hospital, -; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, -; St. Joseph's Infirmary, -; Baptist Home, -; Dominican Convent, -; Montefiore Home, 1; Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital, -; Nineteenth Precinct Station, -; St. Joseph's Industrial Home, -; Presbyterian Home, -; Children's Home of Messiah, 1	54
Twentieth.....	444	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	7	..	1	11	33	31	86,015	St. Elizabeth's Hospital, 2; St. Mary's Hospital, -; Trinity Home, -; St. Vincent De Paul Nursery, -	..
Twenty-first.....	411	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	3	..	3	10	52	29	66,536	Bellevue Hospital, 23; in Ambulances, -; Ophthalmic Hospital, -; Skin and Cancer Hospital, -; Home of the Friendless, -; Emergency Hospital, -; St. Luke's Home, -; St. Stephen's Home, -	2
Twenty-second.....	1,529.42	..	..	..	2	3	2	..	..	..	..	7	..	2	16	68	63	111,606	Roosevelt Hospital, 5; Old Ladies' Home, -; New York Infant Asylum, -; Twenty-second Precinct Station, -	..
Twenty-third.....	4,267.023	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	13	28,338	N. Y. Orphan Asylum, -; N. Y. Med. College and Hosp. for Women, -; Barrett Home, -	..	
Twenty-fourth.....	8,050.323	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	9	13,488	Thirty-third Precinct Station, -; Old Gentlemen's Unsectarian Home, -; North Brother Island Hospital, -; House of Rest for Consumptives, 1; Home for Incurables, 1; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station, -; Thirty-fifth Precinct Station, -; Peabody Home, -; St. Stephen's Home, -; N. Y. Skin and Cancer Hospital, -	..
Totals.....	24,893.156	..	7	5	27	18	9	..	15	7	..	73	2	21	184	681	549	1,206,299	Total mortality in Public Institutions.....	13

Very respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.

Births * reported during the week ending October 16, 1886.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
604	599	5	324	208	..	341	163	57	36	..	..	2	5	..	485	119

Marriages * reported during the week ending October 16, 1886.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.								CONDITION.										
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.		
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
283	281	281	2	2	187	169	96	113	1	244	255	37	27	2	1

* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending October 16, 1886, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending October 9, 1886.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
6	Austria.....	31	31	28	26	11	11	1	1
3	British America.....	3	4	6	6	..	..	2	..
12	England.....	17	17	18	11	9	9	2	1
3	France.....	3	4	9	9	3	3	..	..
74	Germany.....	170	153	157	146	72	63	13	11
110	Ireland.....	212	207	94	106	9	10	6	9
9	Italy.....	23	23	16	14	47	45	4	4
3	Poland.....	5	4	9	6	3	2	2	2
3	Scotland.....	4	4	7	6	5	5	..	2
1	Switzerland.....	2	2	5	1	4	3	..	..
445	United States.....	152	180	199	222	90	113	22	24
4	Unknown or not stated.....	36	36	7	..	..	1	3	3
2	West Indies.....	..	1	3	2	1	..	..	..
6	Other countries.....	23	24	47	47	23	18	5	5

Still-Births reported during the week ending October 16, 1886.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.											
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.											Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
62	36	26	..	62	..	22	37	3	24	35	3	..	..	..	..	3	11	12	10	25	1	..

Deaths reported during the week ending October 16, 1886

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.															RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.			
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.								New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.				
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.				Eighth.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	
																						Not stated. †
715	128	437	135	3	12	..	11	136	165	133	90	38	1	1	..	693	22	..	96	160	67		392

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending October 23, 1886.

Barometer.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	17	30.382	30.242	30.142	30.255	30.394	8 A. M.	30.114	12 P. M.
Monday,	18	30.116	30.142	30.300	30.186	30.314	12 P. M.	30.090	6 A. M.
Tuesday,	19	30.410	30.408	30.410	30.409	30.452	11 A. M.	30.314	0 A. M.
Wednesday,	20	30.396	30.282	30.190	30.289	30.400	0 A. M.	30.100	12 P. M.
Thursday,	21	29.950	29.910	30.078	29.979	30.100	0 A. M.	29.910	2 P. M.
Friday,	22	30.100	29.982	29.952	30.001	30.110	8 A. M.	29.916	5 P. M.
Saturday,	23	30.000	30.046	30.166	30.071	30.200	12 P. M.	29.948	0 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.171 inches.

Maximum " at 11 A. M., 19th..... 30.452 "

Minimum " at 2 P. M., 21st..... 29.910 "

Range "542 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday,	17	33	31	47	40	51	47	43.6	39.3	52
Monday,	18	55	52	64	58	54	51	57.6	53.6	64
Tuesday,	19	52	50	57	54	56	53	55.0	52.3	58
Wednesday,	20	54	52	63	59	60	58	59.0	56.3	66
Thursday,	21	60	58	64	53	51	46	58.3	52.3	65
Friday,	22	45	42	60	51	57	50	54.0	47.6	63
Saturday,	23	51	48	63	56	50	45	54.6	49.6	64

Mean for the week..... 54.6 degrees..... 51.0 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 20th..... 66. " at 6 P. M., 20th..... 60. "

Minimum " at 5 A. M., 17th..... 33. " at 5 A. M., 17th..... 31. "

Range " " 33. " 29. "

Wind.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M. to 7 A. M.	2 P. M. to 2 P. M.	9 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	17....	NW	SW	SSW	23	39	64	126	0	1/4	1/4	6 1/2	8 P. M.
Monday,	18....	W	NE	NE	81	35	49	165	2 1/4	1/4	0	2 1/4	7 A. M.
Tuesday,	19....	NE	NE	E	60	51	32	143	1/4	1/4	0	1	9-30 A. M.
Wednesday,	20....	W	WSW	SW	2	40	55	97	0	1/4	1	2 1/4	2-50 P. M.
Thursday,	21....	SW	NW	NNW	99	81	80	260	1	3 1/4	0	8 1/4	2-20 P. M.
Friday,	22....	SSW	W	WSW	34	45	66	145	0	1 1/2	1/4	7 1/4	4 P. M.
Saturday,	23....	NNW	ENE	NNE	49	43	55	147	0	0	1/4	2 1/2	3-40 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,083 miles.

Maximum force " " 8 1/4 pounds.

DATE. OCTOBER.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELA- TIVE HUMID- ITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	O. 10.
Sunday, 17	.151	.156	.270	80	48	72	0	9 Cir. Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Monday, 18	.349	.403	.335	80	67	80	8 Cir. Cu.	10	8 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Tuesday, 19	.334	.378	.363	86	81	81	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Wedn'day, 20	.362	.420	.456	86	68	88	2 Cir. Cu.	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Thursday, 21	.456	.457	.245	88	43	65	10	0	0	8.30 A. M.	10 A. M.	1.30	.04	.....	0
Friday, 22	.228	.255	.268	76	49	57	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Saturday, 23	.296	.356	.234	79	62	64	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1

Total amount of water for the week..... .04 inch.

Duration for the week 1 hour, 30 minutes.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 7, 1886.

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate
"New York Times" and the "Daily News" two of the daily newspapers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of unredeemed pawns or pledges by public auction in said city, by pawnbrokers, shall be published for at least six days previous thereto, until otherwise ordered.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1885.

In pursuance of the ordinance, approved April 30, 1877, and amended June 1, 1877, entitled, "An ordinance to prevent the danger of hydrophobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York," notice is hereby given that all Dogs found at large in the City of New York on and after January 1, contrary to such ordinance, will be seized and disposed of as provided therein.

The Dog Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, is hereby designated as the place where dogs so captured must be delivered to the Keeper thereof. The Pound will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until five o'clock P. M. daily, Sundays excepted, on and after the first day of January, 1886.

WM. R. GRACE,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; WILLIAM L. TURNER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS W. BYRNES, First Marshal.
GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
Address: M. COLEMAN, Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROBERT B. NOONEY, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD JACOBS, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALSTON CULVER, Water Purveyor.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEO. E. BABCOCK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incubrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEO. A. McDERMOTT, Superintendent.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KERSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD V. LOW, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts; DAVID E. AUSTEN, Deputy Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. KELSO, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. IVINS, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
City Paymaster

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation; ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 3 P. M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.
Open at all hours.

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ALEXANDER SHALES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY R. BECKMAN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
L. J. N. STARK, President; B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bon street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN REILLY, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.
NOAH DAVIS, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, JOSEPH P. McDONOUGH, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.
Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 19.
Part III., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays) and continues to the close of business.
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.
FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.
GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1886.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc. etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve who called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 28, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, November 10, 1886.

NO. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WESTCHESTER AVENUE, FROM ST. ANN'S AVENUE TO TRINITY AVENUE.

NO. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM THE SUMMIT EAST OF WILLIS AVENUE TO THE EAST LINE OF BROWN PLACE.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately, that is, both works must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.

The nature and extent of each of the works, as near as it is possible to state them, in advance, is as follows:

NO. 1.—ABOVE MENTIONED.

270 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
300 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
420 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
103 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.
10 manholes complete.
2 receiving-basins complete.
1,000 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
10 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete cradle for pipe sewers.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.
In addition to the above quantities of work to be done, if sheet piling is required and ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, it will be measured and paid for at ONE-HALF of the price bid for lumber. (See section 13 (b) of the annexed Specifications.) Also the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of \$4 per day.

NO. 2.—ABOVE MENTIONED.

690 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, exclusive of spurs for house connections.
96 spurs for house connections.
7 manholes complete.
1 receiving-basin complete.
1,100 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.
In addition to the above quantities of work to be done, if sheet piling is required and ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, it will be measured and paid for at ONE-HALF of the price bid for lumber. (See section 13 (b) of the annexed Specifications.)
Also, the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of \$4 per day.
As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:
1. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing statement, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the depth of the excavation to be made or the nature or amount of the work to be done.
2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.
The person making any bid or estimate must furnish the same inclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department at his office, on or before the day and hour above mentioned.
The envelope must be endorsed with the name or names of the person presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.
The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.
Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.
Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.
No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.
N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate, and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids stating one price or sum for each of the several works for which bids are herein called or which contain bids for work for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows:
For No. 1 above mentioned..... \$4,000 00
For No. 2 "..... 3,000 00

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will in each case be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,
JOHN D. CRIMMINS,
JESSE W. POWERS,
M. C. D. BORDEN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, October 21, 1886.

NOTICE.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE CHANGES proposed to be made in the system of streets and avenues in that portion of the "Hunt's Point District" in the Twenty-third Ward, lying between Trinity avenue and Dawson street, and from East One Hundred and Sixty-third to East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and the discontinuance of Leggett avenue, between Trinity and Prospect avenues, under authority given by chapter 662 of the Laws of 1886, are requested to call at the office of the Topographical Engineer, Arsenal Building, Central Park, within ten days from date, and examine the plan showing such changes, in order that their views in relation thereto may be obtained before final action is taken.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A,"
FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 230.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GRANITE STONES FOR BULKHEAD OR RIVER WALL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THIS MATERIAL will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Pier A, foot of Battery Place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Four Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

To be furnished, cut in accordance with specifications, 1,020 pieces of granite, consisting of
(1.) 470 Headers and 1 containing about 20,200 cubic feet.
(2.) 550 Stretchers " " "

For further particulars see the drawings referred to in the specifications forming part of the contract.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantity of cubic feet, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, is approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of similar stones now owned by the Department of Docks, and of the plans, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of their estimates, dispute or complain of such Engineer's estimate or statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor per cubic foot, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The contract is to be fully completed on or before the day of 1886.

On or before the day of 1886, about 2,000 cubic feet of Headers and Stretchers, and an additional amount of about 2,000 cubic feet of Headers and Stretchers on or before the day of each month following, up to and including the day of 1886, and an additional amount of about 4,700 cubic feet of Headers and Stretchers on or before the twentieth day of each month following up to and including the day of 1886, at which date the whole amount of granite called for in this contract is to be delivered.

The amounts to be divided between the several classes, as ordered by the Engineer-in-Chief, are to be completed and delivered in accordance with the terms of the contract. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled, after the respective times specified for the fulfillment thereof may have expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates the price per cubic foot for the stones to be furnished. By that price the bidders will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the approved form of contract and the specifications therein contained, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the receiving of the material by the Department of Docks.

Bidders will distinctly write out in their bids, both in figures and in words, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.
The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and re-let, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be

so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.
Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

L. J. N. STARK,
JOSEPH KOCH,
JAMES MATTHEWS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, October 26, 1886.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 231.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE EXISTING PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST FORTIETH STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AND APPROACH AT THE FOOT OF SAID STREET.

ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, with its appurtenances, including an approach at the foot of West Fortieth street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the heads of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

(a.) PIER.

	Feet B. M. measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber (hewn), 10" x 18".....	410
" " " " 8" x 16".....	146
Total.....	556
2. Yellow Pine Timber (sawn), 12" x 14".....	3,024
" " " " 12" x 12".....	140,100
" " " " 10" x 14".....	525
" " " " 8" x 15".....	580
" " " " 8" x 14".....	187
" " " " 10" x 12".....	1,177
" " " " 7" x 12".....	172
" " " " 6" x 12".....	8,604
" " " " 8" x 8".....	9,078
" " " " 5" plank.....	36,130
" " " " 5" x 10".....	22,250
" " " " 4" plank.....	100,000
Total.....	321,827
3. Spruce Timber, 4" plank.....	48,720
" " " " 3" ".....	54,000
" " " " 2" x 4".....	3,813
Total.....	106,533

4. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12"	13,664
NOTE.—The above quantities of timber are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.	
5. Yellow Pine, White Pine, or Cypress Piles, ..	771
6. Oak Fender Piles,	14
7. $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 20", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 27", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 22", $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 18", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 16", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 9", and $\frac{1}{16}$ " x 10" square, and $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 9" and $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 5" round wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock Spikes; and 40d. Nails, about	34,500 pounds
8. Boiler-plate armatures, about	20,000 "
9. 2" x $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", $1\frac{1}{8}$ " and 1" wrought-iron Screw Bolts, wrought-iron Washers and Wire Rope, about	12,500 "
10. Cast-iron Mooring-pets and cast-iron Washers for $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", $1\frac{1}{8}$ " and 1" Screw-Bolts, about	23,000 "
11. Materials for Painting and oiling or tarring.	
12. Labor of removing so much of the Old Pier at the foot of West Fortieth street, North river, as is to be removed under this contract, and of removing all the old material from the premises.	
13. Labor of every description for about 28,380 square feet of new pier.	

or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done, by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
JOSEPH KOCH,
JAMES MATTHEWS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, New York, October 23, 1886.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 2262, No. 1. Paving the roadway of Lincoln avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.

List 2271, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from the summit between Willis and Alexander avenues to Brook avenue.

List 2277, No. 3. Paving Ninety-third street, from Second avenue to Avenue A, excepting between First and Second avenues.

List 2278, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Boulevard and Diagonal avenue.

List 2282, No. 5. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging Sixty-fourth street, from First avenue to the East river.

List 2284, No. 6. Sewer in Second avenue, west side, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, and in Sixty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

List 2285, No. 7. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue.

List 2287, No. 8. Paving Eighty-ninth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.

List 2294, No. 9. Paving Seventieth street, from Avenue A to a line 650 feet easterly.

List 2295, No. 10. Paving One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Lincoln avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Brook avenue to a point 231 feet 6 inches west of Willis avenue, and both sides of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-third street, from First avenue to Avenue A, and to the extent of one half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Boulevard to Diagonal avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, from First avenue to the East river.

No. 6. Blocks bounded by Sixty-sixth and Sixty-eighth streets, Second and Third avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and extending 100 feet north and south of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street on the east side of Tenth avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of Seventieth street, from Avenue A to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Avenue A.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 27th day of November, 1886.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 26, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 2245, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

List 2246, No. 2. Laying crosswalks in Morris avenue, between North Third avenue and Railroad avenue.

List 2258, No. 3. Laying an additional course of flag-

ging, 4 feet wide, on the sidewalks of Sixth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

List 2322, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to the Public Drive.

List 2265, No. 5. Paving with trap blocks, One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Alexander to Brook avenue.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Morris avenue, between North Third avenue and Railroad avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Sixth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to the Public Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Alexander to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 22d day of November, 1886.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessment is completed and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 2153, No. 1. Outlet sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street to and through Road or Public Drive and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street to Tenth avenue, with branches in Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Kingsbridge road; in Road or Public Drive and Eleventh avenue (east side), between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Road or Public Drive.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, Avenue St. Nicholas and Hudson river.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 18th day of November, 1886.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 2228, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Courtland avenue.

List 2235, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging Eighty-eighth street, from Tenth to Riverside avenue.

List 2243, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging Lincoln avenue, from Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Courtland avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Tenth to Riverside avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Lincoln avenue, from Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 2d day of November, 1886.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1886.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 15th day of November, 1886, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the Removal of Earth, Rock, etc., and for Grading the School Site on the northeast corner of Tenth avenue and Seventy-seventh street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, third floor.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence, and place of business on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

JAMES R. CUMING,
J. SEAYER PAGE,
GEO. H. ROBINSON,
RICHARD S. TREACY,
HENRY A. ROGERS,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

Dated New York, November 1, 1886.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 8th day of November, 1886, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for iron stairway, etc., for the premises on the south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, east of Eleventh avenue, occupied as a branch of Grammar School No. 54.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, third floor.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence, and place of business on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

ANDREW L. SOULARD,
JOHN WHALEN,
DAVID H. KNAPP,
ROBERT E. STEEL,

Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, October 25, 1886.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Wednesday, November 3, 1886, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

By order of the Chairman.

E. E. VAN SAUN,
Assistant Secretary.

Dated New York, October 26, 1886.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the 12th day of November, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eighth avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 775 feet to the westerly line of Seventh avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence westerly 775 feet to the easterly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of Seventh avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 108 feet to the bulkhead line, Harlem river; thence northerly along said line 73 feet 3½ inches; thence westerly 66 feet 2½ inches to the easterly line of Seventh avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and bulkhead line, Harlem river.

Dated New York, October 2, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, WOODENWARE, HARDWARE, LEATHER, LIME, AND CEMENT, HARDWARE AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

7,800 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, November 4, 1886.

1,000 pounds Cheese.

1,000 pounds Dried Apples.

3,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.

2,000 pounds Wheat Flour, price to include packages.

3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.

3,600 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.

500 pounds Macaroni.

500 pounds whole Pepper.

4,000 pounds Rice.

15,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.

2,000 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.

2,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.

3,000 pounds Oolong Tea.

100 pounds Tapioca.

100 barrels Crackers.

100 bushels Beans.

100 bushels Peas.

100 bushels Rye.

100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

50 bushels T. I. Rock Salt.

25 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.

2,000 gallons Syrup.

50 prime City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.

30 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

20 prime City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

16,000 pounds Brown Soap.

2,527 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

20 dozen papers Sage, ground.

20 dozen papers, Thyme, ground.

621 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.

50 barrels prime Red Onions.

100 barrels prime Carrots, 120 pounds net per barrel.

135 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds. Weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

300 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.

100 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.

100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

100 bags fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

5 bags prime quality Olmeal.

10 barrels prime quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.

100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels per barrel.

DRY GOODS.

28,000 yards Bandage Muslin.

1,500 yards Brown Denim.

3,000 yards Furniture Check.

1,000 pounds Knitting Cotton.

100 dozen white Spool Cotton, No. 30.

100 dozen Cotton Mops.

50 dozen Handkerchiefs.

25,000 Sewing Needles, 10 No. 3, 10 No. 4, 5 No. 5.

300 Rubber Blankets.

50 Horse Blankets.

25 boxes Picture Cord, Green, No. 5.

100 White Spreads.

HARDWARE, ETC.

50 papers Finishing Nails, 25 1½", 25 2".

20 kegs best quality Cut Nails, rod.

10 doz. Taper Saw Files, 5 inches.

30 gross Hat and Coat Hooks.

12 dozen Padlocks, 2 keys each.

12 dozen Flat Shovels.

50 dozen Knives and Forks.

12 dozen Trimmers, 8".

20 bundles best quality common Sheet Iron, No. 22.

100 Sledge Hammer Handles.

100 Striking Hammer Handles.

100 Pick-axe Handles.

20 dozen Carpenters' Pencils.

10 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150° test.

on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and let as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, October 23, 1886.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 27, 1886.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital from Central Park—Unknown man; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on black coat, vest and pants, white shirt, white undershirt, blue check jumper, white cotton flannel drawers, gray knit drawers, brown woolen socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man from foot of Twenty-second street, North river—aged about 60 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair mixed with gray; brown throat whiskers. Had on chinilla vest, dark pants, white shirt, red flannel shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, gray woolen socks, gaiters, brown astrachan cap, envelope marked John Driscoll, Flushing, L. I., care of C. F. Crawford, found on his person.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Olave Otfedel; aged 27 years; 5 feet 6½ inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted red dress, blue cloth ulster, brown hat.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Edward Meehan; aged 51 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark suit of clothes, congress gaiters, black hat.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Margaret Marquis; aged 40 years; 5 feet 3¼ inches high; black eyes and hair.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, Oct. 20, 1886.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 54, East river—Unknown man; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; dark hair, mixed with gray, gray eyes, light moustache. Had on blue flannel coat and vest, dark pants, brown gingham shirt, gray socks, buttoned gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Eleventh street, North river; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; black hair, beard and moustache. Had on blue flannel coat, dark vest and pants, blue and white knitted undershirt, gray socks, elastic gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 26, North river; aged about 45 years, 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair, mixed with gray. Had on brown overcoat, gray mixed pants, blue check jumper, gray knit undershirt, gray socks, boots.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Jane Whittaker; aged 52 years. Committed September 2, 1886.

Patrick Ayres; aged 45 years. Committed October 5, 1886.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Charles Noff; aged 41 years; brown hair, blue eyes; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on when admitted gray coat, brown duck overalls, gaiters, white straw hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE obtained at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner basement). Price three cents each.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, May 12, 1885.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of

HENRY D. PURROY, President.
RICHARD CROKER,
ELWARD SMITH,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 22, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, until 12 o'clock M., Monday, November 8, 1886, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for—

No. 1. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to Convent avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 5. PAVING NINETY-FIRST STREET, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, with granite-block pavement, and LAYING CROSSWALKS at the intersecting and terminating avenues where required.

No. 6. PAVING ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET, from First avenue to the bulkhead line on the East or Harlem river, with granite-block pavement, and LAYING CROSSWALKS where required.

No. 7. PAVING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, with granite-block pavement, and LAYING CROSSWALKS at the intersections of Eighth and St. Nicholas avenues, where required.

No. 8. PAVING SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from the Eastern Boulevard to the East river, with trap-block pavement.

No. 9. PAVING NINETY-SIXTH STREET, from First to Third avenue, with trap-block pavement.

No. 10. PAVING NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

No. 11. PAVING ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET, from Second to Third avenue, with trap-block pavement.

No. 12. PAVING ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET, from Madison to Fourth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained, for regulating and grading, Room 5, and for paving, at Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1886.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1886, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at the Corporation Yard, foot of Gansevoort street, North river, the following articles, viz.:

Show Cases, Signs, Barber Poles, Stepping Stones, Rubber Hose, Packing Boxes, Wine Casks, Fruit Stands, Booths, Counters, Single and Double Trucks, Wagons, Carts, Footblack Stands, Cots, abandoned Furniture, Chairs, Tables, Ice Boxes, Drygoods, Bill Boards, fourteen Hats, Beams and Iron Pipes, News Stands, Lumber, Coal Boxes, Window Frames, Milk Cans.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the material purchased from the yard within ten days from date of sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

Purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, October, 1886.

CROTON WATER RENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORDING to law, ten per cent. additional will be added on the first of November next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING ANY BUSINESS IN THIS Department which is not assigned to or transacted by the several Bureaux in the Department, and which should come under the immediate notice of the Commissioner of Public Works, are requested to communicate directly in person, or by letter, with the Commissioner.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

EIGHTH AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED property, including Police and Cartage property, on Wednesday, November 10, 1886, at Police Headquarters, No. 300 Mulberry street, at 10 A. M. John F. Harriot, Property Clerk. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers.

Terms cash. No goods warranted. Goods not called for in three days will be forfeited.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK 1886.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of the Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Oct. 4, 1886.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York for the year 1886, and the warrants for the collection of taxes have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes on said Assessment Rolls are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment on or before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 422 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, viz., a reduction of interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum between the day of such payment and the first day of December next.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,
Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 18, 1886.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Ninth avenue regulating and grading, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Seventy-fourth street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive.

One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from Fifth to Seventh avenue.

Alexander avenue regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving roadway with trap blocks, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.

Eighty-second street paving, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Eighty-eighth street paving, from Second to Third avenue, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Fifteenth street paving, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street paving, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Eighty-sixth street sewers, between Tenth and Riverside avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments August 12, 1886, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before November 1, 1886, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due November 1, 1886, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 24, to November 1, 1886.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1886.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS AND CLERK OF ARREARS,
STEWART BUILDING, ROOM 35, AUGUST 16, 1886.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS for unpaid taxes of 1880, 1881 and 1882, and Croton water rents of 1879, 1880 and 1881, under the direction of Edward V. Loew, Comptroller of the City of New York.

The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882,—

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24, inclusive, in the City of New York, on which taxes have been laid and confirmed for the years 1880, 1881 and 1882, and are now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton water rents have been laid for the years 1879, 1880 and 1881, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rents so remaining due and unpaid, with the interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at his office in the Finance Department, in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street, in said city.

And that if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, December 6, 1886, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon, as aforesaid, to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the taxes and the Croton water rents, the ownership of the property on which taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding 25 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO section 1839 of chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act, and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," that at the General Election to be held in this State on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next, the following municipal officers are to be chosen in the City and County of New York, to wit:

A Mayor, in the place of William R. Grace.
A President of the Board of Aldermen, in the place of Robert B. Nooney.

Twenty-four Aldermen, one of whom shall be elected in the territory embraced in each Assembly District as the same existed on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

A Register, in the place of John Reilly.
A Justice of the Supreme Court, in the place of Noah Davis.

A Judge of the Superior Court, in the place of Hooper C. Van Vorst.

Twenty-four Members of Assembly, one of whom shall be elected in each of the Assembly Districts as now established by law.

Dated New York, October 4, 1886.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.